

Jaime E. Lizarraga, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 5, 2027.

Mark Toshio Uyeda, of California, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 5, 2023.

Naz Durakoglu, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Legislative Affairs). **Page S3001**

Nomination Discharged: The following nomination was discharged from further committee consideration and placed on the Executive Calendar:

Steven M. Dettelbach, of Ohio, to be Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives, which was sent to the Senate on April 25, 2022, from the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—233) **Pages S2991, S2992, S2995**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 4:22 p.m., until 8:30 a.m. on Friday, June 17, 2022. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3010.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: On Wednesday, June 15, 2022, Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of General Christopher G. Cavoli, USA, to be general and Commander, U.S. European Command, and Supreme Allied Commander, Europe, Department of Defense, and 1,230 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Space Force.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill entitled, "National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2023".

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine reauthorization of the National Flood Insurance Program, focusing on protecting communities from flood risk, after receiving testimony from Jana Henderson, Mississippi Office of Mitigation Director and State Hazard Mitigation Officer, Pearl, on behalf of the Association of State Floodplain Managers; Peter Van Doren, Cato Institute, and Jerry Theodorou, R Street Institute, both of Washington, D.C.; Douglas Quinn, American Policyholder Association, Toms River, New Jersey; and Samuel D. Brody, Director, Texas A and M University Institute for a Disaster Resilient Texas, College Station.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Tamara Cofman Wittes, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, and Geeta Rao Gupta, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large for Global Women's Issues, Michael Alan Ratney, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, and Timmy T. Davis, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar, all of the Department of State, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

COVID-19 FEDERAL RESPONSE

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded a hearing to examine an update on the ongoing Federal response to COVID-19, focusing on current status and future planning, after receiving testimony from Rochelle P. Walensky, Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institutes of Health, Robert M. Califf, Commissioner of Food and Drugs, Food and Drug Administration, and Dawn O'Connell, Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, all of the Department of Health and Human Services.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Sarah A. L. Merriam, of Connecticut, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Lara E. Montecalvo, of Rhode Island, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, Tiffany M. Cartwright, to be

United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington, Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colo-

rado, and Phillip A. Talbert, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of California, Department of Justice.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 8095–8138; 1 private bill, H.R. 8139; and 5 resolutions, H. Res. 1182–1186, were introduced. **Pages H5643–46**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H5647–48**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 3952, to strengthen the role of the Chief Scientist of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in order to promote scientific integrity and advance the Administration's world-class research and development portfolio, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–373, Part 1); and

H.R. 7233, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for requirements under Medicaid State plans for health screenings and referrals for certain eligible juveniles in public institutions; and to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to issue clear and specific guidance under the Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance programs to improve the delivery of health care services, including mental health services, in elementary and secondary schools and school-based health centers, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–374). **Page H5643**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Norcross to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H5613**

Meat and Poultry Special Investigator Act of 2022: The House passed H.R. 7606, to establish the Office of the Special Investigator for Competition Matters within the Department of Agriculture, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 221 yeas to 204 nays, Roll No. 277. **Pages H5615–32**

Rejected the Cammack motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture by a yeas-and-nays vote of 206 yeas to 218 nays, Roll No. 276. **Page H5631**

Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–50, modified by the amendment printed in part E of H. Rept. 117–366, shall be considered as adopted, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Agriculture now printed in the bill.

Agreed to:

Khanna amendment (No. 1 printed in part F of H. Rept. 117–366) that authorizes USDA to carry out a program that reduces dependence on foreign sources of fertilizers, supports reliable access to critical inputs for farmers, and encourages innovation and competition in the highly concentrated fertilizer industry, and would support investments in materials or tools for efficient use of fertilizer, sustainable fertilizer production, and incentives for greater precision in fertilizer use; and **Pages H5627–29**

Spanberger amendment (No. 2 printed in part F of H. Rept. 117–366) that directs USDA to establish Supply Chain Regional Resource Centers to support small and medium-size agricultural producers and businesses with coordination, technical assistance, and grants related to producers' and businesses' supply chain challenges, and directs the existing Agriculture Innovation Centers Program to do research, offer technical assistance and support services, conduct outreach, and provide other services to strengthen and secure supply chains for US agricultural commodities and products. **Pages H5629–31**

H. Res. 1170, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 2543), (H.R. 2773), and (H.R. 7606) was agreed to Tuesday, June 14th.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yeas-and-nays votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5631 and H5632.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Homeland Security held a markup on the FY 2023 Homeland Security Appropriations Bill. The FY 2023 Homeland Security Appropriations Bill was forwarded to the full Committee, without amendment.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government held a markup on the FY 2023 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Bill. The FY 2023 Financial